February 23, 2003
Squash Team Plays First Match

The men’s squash team played its first match today against Manitoba. The Manitoba squad took three out of the four games. The highlight of match was Michael Buchanan’s five game win over a member of the Manitoba team. Buchanan showed lots of hustle in winning the fifth and deciding game 9-7 before his very supportive teammates. The rest of the boys team - Thomas Charlton of Stratford, Patrick Grant of Stratford and Michael Jones of Winsloe - lost their matches to Manitoba opponents.

Michael Buchanan cools down after winning his match in Squash.

Monday Feb. 24 Schedule

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<td>3:30 Women vs B.C.</td>
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<td>12:00 vs. Nova Scotia</td>
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<td>Hockey (m)</td>
<td>2:00 pm vs. Manitoba</td>
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Calling All Athletes!
Athletes Forum

When: Wednesday February 26
Where: Athletes Village Theatre
Time: 6pm Poster Pit and Autograph Session. 7pm Athletes Forum

Come and Meet Olympic Stars
Tami Bradley, World Cup & Olympian Freestyle Ski. Tracey Ferguson, World Champion & Paralympian Wheelchair basketball and Dianne Norman, 2 time Olympian – Basketball.

Thanks Parents

Thanks to those Island parents and supporters who braved the elements to attend the parent’s breakfast Sunday morning. Considering the weather the turnout was excellent! The event provided a great opportunity to meet others at the games all in the interest of supporting our athletes! Great to have parents of one team making the effort to support our other teams!

Games Spirit – Quote of the Day

“Don’t wait for people to be friendly, show them how!”

Badminton Results

Men’s Singles
Quinn Conway won first match 2-0, lost second match 2-0.
Jeff MacPhail won his first two matches and lost his third.
Ryan Dougay won his first match 2-0 and lost his second match 2-0.
Neil Arnold won his first match 2-0, lost second match 2-0.
Bruce Mills lost 2-0 in his first match.

Men’s Doubles
Conway/MacPhail won their first match 2-0 over NS and lost their second match 2-0 to BC.
Mills/Arnold lost 2-0 to NB

Women’s doubles
McKenna/Ling lost 2-0 to NB
Moase/McInnis lost 2-0 PQ

Women’s Singles
Ruth Hanselpacker lost first match 2-0
Kristie Moase lost first match 2-0
Jillian McKenna lost first match 2-0.

Krista MacInnis lost first match 2-0
Jennifer Ling lost first match 2-0.

Women’s Curling
P.E.I.’s Meaghan Hughes rink lost 8-3 to Newfoundland in women’s curling play Sunday in Bathurst.
After blanking the first three ends, Newfoundland scored two in the fourth end and two more in the fifth. Hughes countered with single points in the sixth and seventh ends but in the eighth, Newfoundland countered with four to put the game out of reach.

Men’s Hockey
Although all other sporting events were suspended due to weather the Men’s Hockey game was moved to the Inch Arran Arena in Dalhousie. The boys lost a spirited game to Team Alberta by a score of 5-1. David Burke played in goal for the Island team and made over 50 saves in the game. Ben Murphy scored the lone goal for the Island squad while the rest of the team played a strong game and had some great scoring chances of their own.

Ringette Team Uses Lone Dalhousie Taxi to Cheer on Hockey Team

The Ringette team didn’t let the weather stop them for getting out and cheering on Team PEI at the Hockey. They had the only taxi in Dalhousie making multiple trips back and forth from the arena.

Who has black hair, lives and west prince, and spends early morning lying in the snow?

It is the surefooted Nancy MacMillan who is a member of the Mission Staff. While preparing for the Parent’s Breakfast, Nancy wasn’t used to the new boots she bought at Saunders Variety and wound up in the snow bank. After shaking herself off she looked at Ted and said “Thank God nobody saw that!”